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January 23, 2006

FITZPATRICK CELLA HARPER & SCINTO 30 ROCKEFELLER PLAZA NEW YORK, NY 10112 US

Dear Sir/Madam,

Your refund request for 10691546 in the amount of \$150.00 has been denied .

This money is needed to pay for the claimls that were added with the admendment.

See insert.

Sincerely,

ELEANOR KURTZ Technical Center Others 703 308-9010 x177



16 PATENT APPLICATION

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In re Application of:) : Examiner: R. Beatty
Takahito UENO et al.) : Art Unit: 2852
Application No.: 10/691,546) Patent No.: 6,970,668
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For: METHOD OF REPRODUCING) December 20, 2005

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REQUEST FOR REFUND

Sir:

In connection with the above-identified application, Applicants request a refund of \$150.00 for claims in excess of 20, which was erroneously charged to our Deposit Account 06-1205. It is requested that the refund be applied as a credit to that Deposit Account. The reason for the refund is explained below.

On August 3, 2005, Applicants filed an Amendment and Transmittal for Amendment (copy attached). No additional claims fees were due at that time.

The Patent Office's Monthly Statement of Deposit Account, dated August 2005 (copy attached), indicates that Deposit Account No. 06-1205 was charged the fee of \$150.00.

Therefore, Applicants respectfully submit that a refund of \$150.00 is due.

Accordingly, Applicants hereby request a refund and authorizes the Commissioner to credit Deposit Account No. 06-1205 in the amount of \$150.00, to resolve this matter.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed

Respectfully submitted

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